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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
March 15, CHU-YEN, British str., 1211. A. McClellan, Amoy 14th March, General-Russell & Co.
March 16, REXUS, Spanish steamer, 652, L. Frompy, Saigon 10th March, Rice-Dunn, Menden & Co.
March 16, TANANARIVE, British steamer, 1408, S. G. Green, Saigon 10th March, Rice-Sort & Co.
March 16, CHATEAU REAUX, French corv., Le Poulis, Saigon 9th March.
March 16, YANGTSE, British steamer, 782, Schulz, Shanghai 13th March, General-Siemssen & Co.

CLEARANCES.

At THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE.
16th March.
Zeyto, British str., for Manila.
Caribbea, British str., for Chetoo.
Camelot, British str., for Kuching.
Yungking, Am. str., for Swatow.
China, German str., for Kelung.

DEPARTURES.

March 16, ELIZABETH, German corv., for Amoy.
March 16, MERLIN, British g-bt., for a cruise.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.
For Chi-yuen, str. from Amoy—599 Chinese.
For Tannanier, str. from Saigon—80 Chinese.

For Yangtze, str. from Shanghai—Mrs. Peterson and 5 children. Messrs. Twentyman, Wedderburn, Street, and Wainman, and 5 Chinese.

DEPARTED.
For Fokien, str. for Swatow—Dr. Fogarty, and Rev. W. Ashmore. For Amoy—Dr. and Mrs. Maxwell, and 2 Sisters of Charity.

For Victoria, str. for Shanghai—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hunt and child, Messrs. J. P. Jones, E. E. Elias, P. J. Marshall, Chai Yu Choo, Low Koo Lok, L. Targis, E. Truter, and E. Tarnhowke.

TO DEPART.
For Sumatra, str. for Yokohama—Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Willard, Miss Verrie, Messrs. R. von Knecher and T. Struckmann. For Kobe—Messrs. P. Teske and Sorulid.

For P. O. str. Swatow from Hongkong—For Singapore—Mr. W. Bonfield, and 14 Chinese. For London—Mrs. Hinghsen, 3 children and 2 Chinese. For Hongkong—Capt. Ogston, Mrs. W. H. Road, Messrs. J. C. Wardlaw, P. Henderson, and Somerville. From Shanghai—For Singapore—Mr. W. Bonfield, and 14 Chinese. For London—Mrs. Hinghsen, 3 children and 2 Chinese. For Hongkong—Capt. Ogston, Mrs. W. H. Road, Messrs. J. C. Wardlaw, P. Henderson, and Somerville.

REPORTS.
The British steamer *Chi-yuen* reports left Amoy on the 14th inst., had moderate N.E. breeze and cloudy, overcast weather up to the afternoon of the 15th, when it cleared in thick and squally from N.W. and W. up to port.

The British steamer *Yangtze* reports left Shanghai on the 13th March, at 6.30 a.m. 2.10 p.m. passed Gutier, French war vessels anchored off the island and the str. *Glenroy*. Had light winds from S.E. to N.W. with fine, pleasant weather and smooth sea.

The British steamer *Thanaos* reports left Saigon at 8.30 a.m. March 10th, discharged pilot at Cape St. James at 2 p.m. same date, and proceeded. Passed Cape Padaran 6 a.m. 12th. Experienced strong head winds and high confusion with rain and squalls throughout. Noon, 15th, passed a French transport steaming North.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING.

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filled up as the words are used, and the latter
portion is arranged in tabular form for quotations.
Also Extra tables of special words are
added for convenience, and it is recommended
that these should be used for dates, enquiries,
and for similar purposes.
By the use of this publication much time will
be saved, as the selection of words is the most
laborious part of the work of constructing
Codes.

KELLY & WALSH, HONGKONG. [24]

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Headache, Wakefulness, Mental Depression,
Premature Old Age, caused by Excess, Over-
exertion, or the Brain, or Over-indulgence
(resulting in Insanity, and leading to
Misery, Decay, and Death). The Remedy is
from the Prescription of an Eminent
Physician, and has been tested and used
with great success for years; therefore
the Proprietors have no hesitation whatever in
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Refunded Every Day. Price of Six Boxes,
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STEAM LAUNCHES, BRIGS, and the REPAIRS
AND BUILDING OF STEAM SHIPS, CASTINGS,
&c., &c.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1885. [72]

GEORGE GOULET
CHAMPAGNE
PUSTAU & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 13th January, 1884. [194]

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

**THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR.
J. SASSOON JACOB DAVID** in our
Firm in Bombay and China, CEASED on the
31st December last.
E. D. SASSOON & CO.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1885. [570]

NOTICE.
I HAVE this Day admitted Mr. JOHN
WILLIAM GRAHAM as a Partner in
my Business, which will be carried on in future
under the name of FORBES, GRAHAM & Co.
WILLIAM FORBES.
Tientsin, 1st March, 1885. [553]

NOTICE.
MR. ABDULLAH MOHAMMUN
being about to proceed to Bombay,
Mr. ALLAH KHAN DAYEEN
assumes Charge of my Business from this date
and will SIGN the Firm in Hongkong and
China.

EBRAHIMHOY PABANY.
Hongkong, 14th March, 1885. [559]

NOTICE.
MR. E. A. RAVEN having retired to
Europe, the Business hitherto existing
under his name will be carried on by
the undersigned, for his own account under the
Style and Firm of H. EBBEL.
Canton, 1st March, 1885. [498]

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UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1862 TO 1883.

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Current Accounts kept on terms which may
be learnt on application.

CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION
PURCHASED.
H. A. HERBERT,
Manager.
Hongkong, 15th September, 1884. [18]

NOTICE.
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IN LIQUIDATION.
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ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION
(HONGKONG BRANCH) are hereby
requested to present them to the LIQUIDATORS
of the Bank, when they will be given in
Exchange a Certificate of the Value of the
Notes deposited.

Holders of Notes will be required to
furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank,
in duplicate, giving the date of Issue,
Number, and amount of each Note produced.
Forms of Schedule may be had on application
at the Office of the ORIENTAL BANK COR-
PORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

For the
OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR
OF THE
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION
By his Attorneys
**J. MELVILLE MATSON,
H. HOWARD TAYLOR.**
Hongkong, 4th August, 1884. [48]

**HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING
CORPORATION.**

PAY-UP CAPITAL £7,500,000.
RESERVE FUND £400,000.
RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF 400,000.
DIVIDENDS £400,000.
RESERVE LIABILITIES £7,500,000.
PRIESTS £7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS:
Chairman—H. L. P. SASSOON.
Deputy Chairman—A. McIVER, Esq.
H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. E. E. SASSOON, Esq.
H. H. Dalrymple, Esq. W. H. Forster, Esq.
G. G. Dalrymple, Esq. A. C. McIVER, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.
Hongkong—THOMAS CAMERON, Esq.
Shanghai—BENJAMIN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Deposit Accounts, at the rate of
2 per Cent per Annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:
For 3 months 3 per Cent per Annum.
For 6 months 4 per Cent per Annum.
For 12 months 5 per Cent per Annum.
LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and
every description of Banking and Exchange
business transacted.
DRAFTS placed on London, and the chief
commercial places in Europe, India, Australia,
America, China and Japan.

HONGKONG, 28th February, 1885. [16]

NOTICE.
**RULES OF THE HONGKONG
SAVINGS BANK.**

1.—The business of the above Bank will be
conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai
Banking Corporation, on their premises in
the City, at 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19,
20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32,
33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44,
45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56,
57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68,
69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80,
81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92,
93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

2.—Sums less than \$1,000 or more than \$250
at one time will not be received. No depositor
may deposit more than \$1,500 in any one year.
3.—Deposits may be made

INSURANCES.

THE SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Underwritten Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates.

STOUTERPORT & HIRST,
Hongkong, 14th November, 1884. [560]

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Underwritten, as Agents for the above Company, are prepared from this date to GRANT POLICIES upon First-Class Risks to the extent of £15,000, at the Reduced Tariff Rates.

DOUGLAS LAPEAKE & Co.,
Hongkong, 15th May 1885. [14]

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Underwritten, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

SIEMSEN & Co.,
Hongkong, 16th November, 1882. [12]

NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY. Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policyholders and are made annually.

STANLEY & Co.,
31st December, 1883.

Accumulated Funds, £1,378,944.
Surplus over all liabilities, £2,138,333.
Income for year 1883, £2,717,599.

C. SETON LINDSAY,
Res. Manager,
Department of the East,
[BILBY, DALRYMPLE & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong.]

PHENIX FIRE OFFICE.

The Underwritten, are now prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at the following Rates:

On First-class European, 1/4 Net per Annum.
On First-class Godowns, 1/4 Net per Annum.
On Second-class Godowns, 1/4 Net per Annum.
On Third-class Godowns, 1/4 Net per Annum.
On Fire Insurance, 1/4 Net per Annum.

DOUGLAS LAPEAKE & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong.

THE MANHATTAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK.

THE Underwritten, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.

DOUGLAS LAPEAKE & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

THE Underwritten, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates.

DOUGLAS LAPEAKE & Co.,
Agents, Hongkong.

THE KOWLOON FERRY.

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TO BE LET.

GODOWNS TO BE LET in the Central Part of the Town and at Wanchai.

Apply to **PRABHAT HORMUSJEE & Co.,**
Hongkong, 12th March, 1885. [540]

TO BE LET.

Apply to **A. S. WATSON & Co.,**
Hongkong, 5th March, 1885. [370]

TO BE LET.

Apply to **W. M. CRICKSHANK,**
Hongkong, 24th February, 1885. [421]

TO BE LET.

Apply to **D. NOWROJEE,**
Hongkong, 30th December, 1884. [39]

TO BE LET.

Apply to **W. M. CRICKSHANK,**
Hongkong, 24th February, 1885. [421]

TO BE LET.

Apply to **MEYER & Co.,**
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As reported by CHINESE on the 10th March, 1885.

COTTON GOODS.

American Drills, 30 yards, per piece, \$2.05 to \$3.10.
American Drills, 15 yards, per piece, \$1.05 to \$1.55.
Cotton Yarn, No. 10 to 20, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 20 to 30, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 30 to 40, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 40 to 50, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 50 to 60, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 60 to 70, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 70 to 80, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 80 to 90, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 90 to 100, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 100 to 110, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 110 to 120, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 120 to 130, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 130 to 140, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 140 to 150, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 150 to 160, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 160 to 170, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 170 to 180, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 180 to 190, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 190 to 200, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 200 to 210, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 210 to 220, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 220 to 230, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 230 to 240, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
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Cotton Yarn, No. 270 to 280, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 280 to 290, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 290 to 300, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 300 to 310, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
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Cotton Yarn, No. 380 to 390, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
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Cotton Yarn, No. 410 to 420, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
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Cotton Yarn, No. 600 to 610, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 610 to 620, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 620 to 630, per 400 lbs., \$5.00 to \$7.00.
Cotton Yarn, No. 630 to 640